

## Senate Resolution 98

By: Senators Albers of the 56th, Kennedy of the 18th, Gooch of the 51st, Miller of the 49th and Walker III of the 20th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Piedmont Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution on the grand  
2 occasion of its 25th anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the American Revolution secured the independence of the United States and  
4 made possible our vibrant system of self-government; and

5 WHEREAS, the supporters of the American Revolution, through their vision and  
6 determination, enhanced the lives of countless individuals and made possible our system of  
7 equal justice, limited government, and the rule of law; and

8 WHEREAS, the sacrifices made by those who fought in the American Revolution, and the  
9 role played by the 39 delegates at the Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia,  
10 Pennsylvania, irrevocably changed the course of history; and

11 WHEREAS, our Constitution, a revered and living document, remains the oldest operational,  
12 written constitution; provides inalienable rights for every American citizen; secures the  
13 "Blessings of Liberty for ourselves and our Posterity"; and sets the standard of democracy  
14 for the world; and

15 WHEREAS, the delegates to the Constitutional Convention in 1787 established the  
16 imperative precedent of compromise, which remains to this day an essential aspect of the  
17 American legislature; and

18 WHEREAS, the Sons of the American Revolution, to honor their fathers and grandfathers  
19 who fought or aided in gaining our freedom was created on the 100th anniversary of George  
20 Washington taking his oath of office as our first President; and

21 WHEREAS, March 17, 2019, marks the 25th anniversary of the Charter granted to the  
22 Piedmont Chapter by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution; and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary achievements of this  
24 outstanding organization be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
26 congratulate the Piedmont Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution on the grand  
27 occasion of its 25th anniversary and commend its many efforts to promote patriotism and the  
28 legacy of our nation's founders.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
30 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Piedmont  
31 Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution.